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REPORT CARD:

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Minister for Main Roads, Road Safety and Ports
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MAIN ROADS, ROAD SAFETY AND PORTS

- ✗ Slugged motorists with a car rego 3.5% increase of over twice the inflation rate and refused to match the LNP's policy to cap rego increases for family cars at the inflation rate
- ✗ Declared all workers were "front line" but on his watch over 600 workers at government-run businesses lost their jobs in 2015-16
- ✗ Labor criticised the LNP's plans for the development of Abbott Point in the lead up to the election - but then back-flipped and implemented exactly what the LNP had proposed after the election
- ✗ Labor failed to respond to an offer of funding from the Federal Government and has delayed \$318 million of road projects including:
 - ✗ Kennedy Development Road (Mount Garnet to The Lynd)
 - ✗ Kennedy Development Road (The Lynd to Hughenden)
 - ✗ Flinders Highway (Townsville - Torrens Creek)
 - ✗ Flinders Highway Charters Towers to Richmond Culvert
 - ✗ Capricorn Highway (Rockhampton to Duaringa) Duplication
 - ✗ Barkly Highway (Cloncurry to Mount Isa)



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ENERGY, BIOFUELS AND WATER SUPPLY

- ✗ Is pushing an aggressive 50% renewable energy target that will drive up electricity prices and cost tax payers over \$18 billion
- ✗ Advocating for a carbon tax of \$25 to \$80 that would drive up electricity prices
- ✗ Delayed introducing competition in South East Queensland electricity market costing average households up to \$400 a year
- ✗ Delayed \$20 million worth of feasibility studies for Queensland dam and irrigation projects while fighting with the Federal Government
- ✗ Labor's renewable energy policy will increase prices for households, industry and business by \$1.3 billion, and will shrink the Queensland economy
- ✗ Failed to provide a solution to Townsville's current insecure water supply
- ✗ Businesses sluggish with double digit increases to their power bills in 2016. Power bills soaring between 11.2 to 15.8 per cent and farmers and irrigators have been sluggish with a 12.3 per cent increase
- ✗ Palaszczuk Government's modelling described as an "economic illusion" by the Grattan Institute

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